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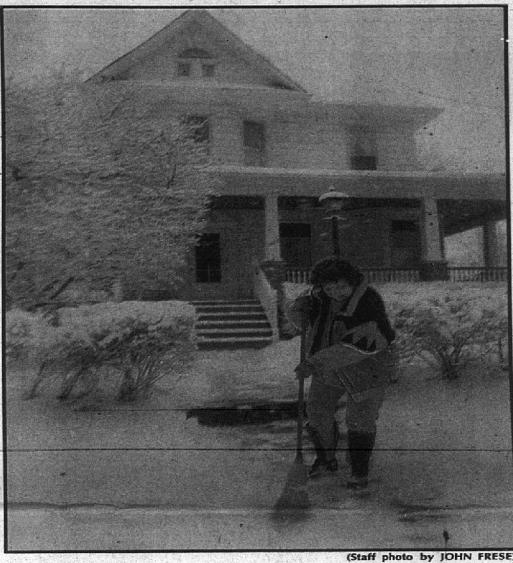
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Keeping it clean — Van Stuart sweeps snow off the walkway in front of her home on Cleveland Avenue in Granite City. The house is 100 years old this year.

(Staff photo by JOHN FRESE)

Intimidation alleged Power plant foes speak out at appeal

By Scott Cousins
Staff writer

Opponents of the proposed Madison power plant tried to paint a picture of residents intimidated into not testifying at a hearing Monday at the Illinois Department of Transportation headquarters in Collinsville.

In response, attorneys for the city and the developer tried to show that residents of the Cleveland subdivision had ample opportunity and information.

Opponents had filed an appeal of the siting of the 60 megawatt, \$75 million power plant with the Illinois Pollution Control Board.

Opponent Kathy Andria of Stop Pollutant Illinois on Oct. 26.

Also named as plaintiffs in the suit are the Madison County Conservation Alliance; the Sierra Club; Nameoki Township Clerk Helen Hawkins; and Cloverleaf subdivision residents Shirley Crain, Glenda Fulkeron, John Gall, Pearl Threlfall, Ron Shaw and Pearl Stoddard.

The two main issues in the appeal are fundamental fairness and

Jurisdiction.

The jurisdictional questions revolve around two complaints: that residents of Cloverleaf were improperly notified about the public hearing on the plant in late July and that the application was on file for inspection at the Madison City Hall.

The fundamental fairness question deals with whether opponents were given a fair chance to present their case against the plant siting.

By noon Monday, Andria had called three of 12 scheduled witnesses: Cloverleaf subdivision residents Shirley Crain, Glenda Ely and her husband, Robert, all

testified that they had been invited to testify at the siting hearing in late July, but were intimidated by the form and type of questions asked by Madison City Attorney Casper Nighofoian and John Papa, attorney for developer Michael Vrtis.

None of the three testified at the siting hearing.

During cross-examination, Papa and Nighofoian emphasized that none of the three were told they

could not testify or were threatened.

First, Andria asked Orr about obtaining a copy of the siting application.

Orr told her she received a copy, but did not get copies of all the material.

The copy included the application and two addendums. Several other pieces of paper, too, were not included in the copies handed out.

Under cross-examination, Orr said that after she discovered the copy was incomplete, she did not attempt to look for or obtain a copy of the rest of the material.

She also said that during the siting hearings, she became "fearful" of testifying.

Orr said she "did not feel I was treated fairly, and I don't look forward to what is going to happen to the neighborhood."

During cross-examination, Papa said she had not been threatened but did say she was intimidated she had never done this before."

Both attorneys emphasized that she could have testified or could have submitted information or

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Women of Achievement nominees being sought

By Jean Abernathy
Staff writer

Nominations are now being accepted for the 1996 Women of Achievement awards — sponsored by KMOX-AM 1200 radio and the Suburban Journal newspapers.

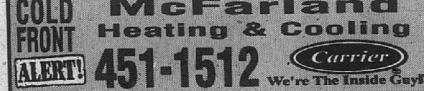
This will be the 41st year that women who have made an impact — through service or leadership — have been honored as Women of Achievement.

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Construction — Amanda Bateman-Lightfoot, 5, adds a marshmallow to the model igloo that area Girl Scouts built during their Festival of Giving at Granite City Township Hall. Looking on is Kristina Groboski at right. See more photos on Page 2A.



(Staff photo by JOHN FRESE)



We're The Inside Guy!

NEWS

Animal adoptions hit all-time high

By Ron Wisdom
Staff writer

Animal adoptions for 1995 hit an all time high at the Madison County Humane Society, with a total of 2,030 animals being placed in new homes.

Linda VanKavage, president of the Madison County Humane Society, said the increase in adoptions was due to the opening of the new shelter just outside of Edwardsville and the new Collinsville location. She said the extended hours also played a role.

In the Edwardsville locations, 1,195 dogs and 769 cats were placed into homes.

In November, the Humane Society took over operations of the Collinsville Animal Shelter on Simpson Street, and placed 28 dogs and 38 cats from that facility into homes.

"Things are going very well since we took over at Collinsville," VanKavage said. "The animal control and police have been very helpful."

Although she is pleased with the number of adoptions, VanKavage said the society still is faced with hundreds of unwanted pets. "It's just because people don't spay or neuter their pets," she said. "Everyone likes animals."

She said last year in the St. Louis Metropolitan area, more than 50,000 healthy dogs and cats were killed because there were not enough homes for them. Part of the problem stems from strays.



•Dog

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his heart, Beyer said. She said one gunshot missed his brain by a half inch and the frog gig missed his jugular vein by a quarter-inch.

"He's doing well, but it's still iffy," Beyer said.

Arthur Carter, of Hill Street in Eagle Park Acres, has been charged with attempted cruelty to an animal, Beyer said.

If convicted, Carter could be slapped with a fine of up to \$1,000 and could spend up to a year in jail.

The APA is accepting donations to help pay for the cost of care given to Casper.

Larry Judd, an animal abuse investigator, with Casper. The APA is seeking donations to help pay the dog's medical bills.



Number 1 — Above, Gelli Beatty, the neighborhood cookie chairwoman, presents Cally Laughlin of Girl Scout Troop 899 with a certificate and stuffed bear in recognition of her status as the area's top cookie seller, with 406 boxes sold. The presentation was made at the scouts' Festival of Giving at Granite City Township Hall. Above, at right, Daisies Shelbie Lockhart and Ashley Morissay, both 5, work on a maze while waiting for craft supplies to be passed out. Below right, Rachel Patton, 8, threads beads onto a string to make a necklace while Nicole Saul helps her daughter, Jessica, 7, with hers in the background.



Rowden

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health insurance for the village's 19 employees, said Monday she had not received them.

"To date, I have not received anything. If somebody calls to verify that so-and-so is employed by the police department, I can't tell them," Rowden said.

She said she has no idea why the records are being withheld.

"I don't know if they're trying to hide something over there or what. And if they are, I don't want to know about it."

"My office is going to do what the law says. I'm supposed to do it. It caused mixed feelings between the mayor's office and my office or between the police department and my office, so be it," Rowden said.

She said she consulted with an attorney Monday and discovered legal recourse may be her only option.

"If need be, I'll take them to court. I don't want to be a part of the problem out here, but at the present time I can't verify the employment of anybody in our police department. And they don't want to give it up."

"I may never be elected to any office ever again but right now I don't care. I have to be able to do my job. And there's so much happening in the world, in our own situation and the Internal Revenue Service coming in and all that — I can't even keep track of what's going on," Rowden said.

Former village Treasurer Judy Donaldson was fired by Mayor Glen Wilson in October after problems with the IRS surfaced.

Wilson then appointed former Village Clerk Lou Whisell, whom Rowden defeated in last year's election to the post.

Whisell and Rowden had clashed over the availability of records during the election.

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Teen a suspect in many home burglaries

Police detectives have filed a flock of charges against a Troy teen who has been fingered as a suspect in residential burglaries throughout Madison County.

Ryan Kelsay, 19, has been charged with at least three burglaries in Wood River one in Hartford and one in Rosedale at least one residential burglary and numerous vehicle burglaries in Collinsville, authorities said.

"He has also told who his partners were, and we're following up to get charges on them, too," Wood River Police Detective William Wheeler said.

Kelsay, a former Hartford resident, has been held at the Madison County Jail since a Dec. 23 arrest in Collinsville.

Other burglary charges were filed last week and more charges are pending. East Alton police said Friday that

Kelsay and two other juveniles are suspects in at least one robbery there.

Authorities said Kelsay and the juveniles are part of one of two juvenile gangs, either of whom may have been responsible for thefts from at least 17 houses throughout the county, including at least eight in Wood River.

In each incident, the burglars typically entered unoccupied houses and took electronic equipment, apparently with intent to resell, authorities said.

Wheeler said some of the electronic items were recovered from a drug house in Washington Park.

Meanwhile, Wood River police are also closing in on a juvenile suspect in at least four other residential burglaries in which the loot has disappeared in Alton pawn shops, he said.

"A lot of this stuff has been taken to pawn shops," Wheeler said. "And because of Christmas, a lot of this stuff was sold."

Wheeler said the juvenile suspect is in custody in Missouri on unrelated charges.

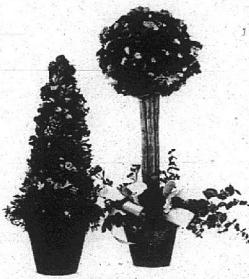
His juvenile cohorts have already charged 20-year-old Caleb Albers of Gillespie and a 16-year-old youth with a Nov. 28 residential burglary. Most of the stolen items were recovered, police said.

Authorities said Albers is also a suspect in similar burglaries in Madison and Bond counties.

Along with recent arrests, winter weather has helped to reduce the number of residential burglaries in the area, Wheeler said.

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Step 5 (Ball Tree)

Using satin ribbon and floral wire, make a large bow. Insert floral wire from bow in foam block. Cut five to seven pieces of eucalyptus and insert in foam around bow. With glue gun, glue large pieces of potpourri in bow. Cut off dried or preserved filler into small lengths and glue in bow loops.

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5" foam ball
Three 12" cinnamon sticks or 12" pieces of 3/8" wood dowel
Delta Color Accent Spray: Hunter and Pale Gold
Green eucalyptus
Artificial or preserved filler
2 1/2 yds. pink satin ribbon
Floral wire for bow

Cone Tree:
Large pkg. potpourri (spiced apple)
9" foam cone
Delta Color Accent Spray: Cranberry
6" piece of 1/4" wood dowel
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Cool fun — Above, Michael Faugher packs more snow on a snowman's body while Danielle Cook and her friend, Jessica Wilkins, both 6, try to get the snow off their gloves. Below, Faugher and Wilkins pack down snow shoveled by Barb Butler to make the body of the snowman, while Butler's daughter, Danielle Cook, 6, finds another use for the snow. The group was building a snowman behind the Fairway Apartments along Arlington Drive.



Trivia night set for Jan. 20

The Parents Committee at St. Elizabeth's School is sponsoring a trivia night Saturday, Jan. 20. The cost for a six-person team is \$60 in advance or \$72 at the door. Beer, soda and snacks are included in the price.

The door will open at 6 p.m.; questions begin at 7 p.m. Prizes will be awarded to the top three teams. Door prizes will be given throughout the night.

To reserve a table, call the school at 931-0125 between 9 a.m. and 2 p.m. or, after hours, call 797-0167 or 797-6245.

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Granite City Division of National Steel, Granite City, Sun Oil, Amoco and American Steel Foundries are among companies from which the port is seeking to obtain offsets, Wydra said.

He said the offsets could be purchased with cash or by some other arrangement mutually acceptable to the parties involved. "This has never before been done on this scale in Illinois," Wydra said.

Senior menus

Donations for noon meals are \$1.75. Call ahead for reservation. 977-4273.

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Sliced turkey, whipped potatoes, gravy, sliced carrots, bread, fruit cocktail.

Thursday, Jan. 11
Ham and beans, cole slaw, corn bread, sliced tomatoes.

Friday, Jan. 12
Fried fish fillet, parsley potatoes, broccoli and cauliflower, when bread, lemon pudding.

Monday, Jan. 15
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Tuesday, Jan. 16
Chicken pot pie, potato triangles, Scandinavian vegetables, bun, orange sherbet.

• Nominees
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Women of Achievement is the oldest ongoing program in the area whose sole purpose is to recognize the commitment and dedication of women. The award is given annually to 10 women who have made a significant difference in the community.

Nomination forms are now available. To obtain a form, call 621-1110, ext. 107, or pick up a form at the reception desk of the Suburban Journals, 1714 Deer Tracks Trail, Town and Country.

The nomination form includes all the necessary information. Please do not send attachments, photographs or publications. Forms must be returned by 5 p.m. Jan. 31, 1996. Women of Achievement, c/o Suburban Journals, 1714 Deer Tracks Trail, St. Louis, Mo. 63131.

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In order to facilitate the transaction of emissions offsets, the Port Authority — a seven-man board overseeing the operation of the port — on Monday authorized hiring Goodwin & Bros Inc, an environmental firm from Springfield, as a consultant on the project.

Wydra said Dan Goodwin is a former Illinois Environmental Protection Agency employee familiar with the permitting process. He said Goodwin would work with the NEPA, local industry and ConAgra to coordinate the environmental aspects of the project.

The Port Authority also hired Leo McKinney & Associates as a consultant on the project. McKinney is familiar with a multi-million dollar federal levee reinforcement project being planned by the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers.

ConAgra officials are expected to tour the local port site — including inspections from the air — on Thursday, Wydra said.

Port Authority Chairman Dr. Charles King of Granite City praised the port staff, which put together a proposal for the project in about six weeks.

Relapse program

St. Elizabeth Medical Center's Behavioral Health System, a leading mental health and chemical dependency services, is now offering a chemical dependency relapse prevention group. The group will meet on Thursday evenings, starting Thursday, Jan. 18, from 3:30 to 5:30, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center, Ketteler Center, conference room B. For more information, call 798-3888.

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LOCAL NEWS

Obituaries

John Pavlow

John N. Pavlow, also known as John Paul, 84, of Madison died Jan. 7, 1996, Saturday, at St. Elizabeth Center after being ill since November. He was born Sept. 10, 1911, in Madison and had been a long resident of the Tri-Cities area.

Employed with the Cold Roll Finishing Department at National Steel Co. in Granite City for 40 years prior to his retirement Jan. 31, 1977, he was a member of St. Mary's Greek Catholic Church in Madison and the Knights of Columbus Council 1098 in Granite City.

Survivors include his wife, Sally (Kmiciek) Pavlow, whom he married Aug. 19, 1936; son, Nicholas Pavlow of Glen Carbon and Raymond Pavlow of Telford, Pa.; and five grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by one son, John N. Pavlow, who died July 7, 1993; his parents, Nicholas and Martha (Petresyn) Pavlow; and two grandsons.

The Divine Liturgy will be held at 9 a.m. Saturday, January 13, at St. Mary's Greek Catholic Church, 1312 Iowa St. in Madison, with the Rev. Robert Piotrko officiating. Burial will be in Holy Trinity Cemetery in Glen Carbon. Arrangements are being handled by Mercer Mortuary in Granite City.

Memorials are requested for St. Mary's Greek Catholic Church.

Cecilia Petrasack

Cecilia (Decker) Petrasack, 87, of Madison, formerly of Collerville, Ill., died at 9:08 a.m. Jan. 1, 1996, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center, following a five-year illness. She was born Oct. 22, 1908, in Venice and had been a resident of Madison for 30 years.

A homemaker, she was a member of St. Mary's Catholic Church in Madison.

Survivors include her friend, Verda Johnson of Madison; and three nephews.

•Hearing—

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testimony in writing after the hearing, but did not.

McDonald said she had heart surgery before the siting hearing, and was "too upset and nervous at the way it was being conducted."

"I felt I was intimidated because I could not answer the way I wanted," she said of testifying.

During questioning, the attorney asked her out that she had an opportunity to testify, that siting hearing officer Charles King had repeatedly said he would accommodate witnesses and that Ely also failed to submit anything in writing.

Her husband also said he was somewhat intimidated, especially when he was told he had to tell Andria to "shut up," during the siting hearing.

"I resent being talked to in that manner, and I wouldn't have been able to conduct myself properly," Ely said.

Nighohossian pointed out that his comment was for Andria to "put up or shut up" when she was asked and misquoted by city officials.

Papa and Nighohossian said before the lunch break that if Andria continued to emphasize that she was the only witness they would not call any witness and would let the record speak for itself.

Andria said she expected to call several other witnesses and would probably continue her same line of questioning.

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She was preceded in death by her husband, Frank Petrasack, who died married May 5, 1988, in Oakdale, Ill., and her parents, Walter J. and Anna (Koliszewski) Decker.

Services are at 10 a.m. Friday, Jan. 12, at St. Mary's Catholic Church, 10th and Alton in Madison, with the Rev. James Keefer officiating. Burial will be in Calvary Cemetery in Glen Carbon. Arrangements are being handled by Mercer Mortuary in Granite City.

Memorials are requested for St. Mary's Catholic Church.

Delores Stakecker

Delores Jean (Robbs) Stakecker, 65, of Granite City, formerly of Venice, died at 4:26 p.m. Sunday, Jan. 7, 1996, at Barnes Hospital in St. Louis, where she had been a patient for several years. She was born Aug. 25, 1932, in Venice and had been a resident of Granite City for 34 years.

She was a school health nurse in Granite City for 20 years prior to her retirement in 1991, she had been a nurse at St. Elizabeth Medical Center.

Stakecker was a member of Holy Family Catholic Church in Granite City, where she was part of the Special Friends Committee; Alumni of St. Elizabeth; and a member of the Mile Hi Historians in Granite City; Illinois State School Nurses Association, where she served on the board; and the American Legion Auxiliary. She was a former member of the Business and Professional Women.

Survivors include three daughters, Linda Tolson of Lapeer, Ky., and Jeana Jordan and Donna Seller, both of St. Louis; one sister, Kathryn Kowalski of Indiana; Fla.; and four grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Alton Altman Stakecker, whom she married in April 1952; and her parents, Raymond and Sybil (Cook) Stakecker.

Services were Tuesday at Irwin Chapel in Granite City with the Rev. William Fisher-Keller officiating. Burial was in Calvary Cemetery in Glen Carbon.

Memorials are requested for the American Cancer Society or Holy Family Catholic Church.

Ethel Tapp

Ethel A. (Nicholson) Tapp, 69,

of Granite City died at 3:30 p.m. Sunday, Jan. 7, 1996, at St. Elizabeth Hospital in Granite City, following a two-year illness.

She was born Feb. 5, 1926, in West Madison and had been a resident of Granite City for several years.

A cafeteria worker with Granite City Steel for many years, she was a member of the Pontoon Beach, Granite City and Madison community citizen. She was of the Protestant faith.

Survivors include three sons, Donald, Ronald and William Briggs, all of Granite City; three daughters, Alice Hause, Helen Maraisa and Alpha Cantion, all of Granite City; one brother, John Roberts of Granite City; one sister, Rosalee Uhl of Springfield, Mo.; 12 grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her first husband, who died in 1968; her second husband, Edwin Tapp; her parents, Joe Roberts and Sarah (Roberts) Roberts, who died in 1994; one sister, Dorothy Holmes, who died in 1985; and one grandchild.

Services were Tuesday at Werner Chapel for Funerals in Pontoon Beach with the Rev. Eddie Linhardt officiating. Burial was in Holy Cross Cemetery.

Wallace Angle

Wallace W. Angle, 46, of Madison, formerly of Granite City, died at 1:50 p.m. Sunday, Jan. 7, 1996, at his residence. He was born Jan. 3, 1950, in Granite City and had been a lifelong resident of the area.

A welder with A.O. Smith Corporation for six years prior to his retirement, he was of the Protestant faith.

Survivors include one daughter, Jessica Marie Angle of Cahokia; his father, Ellis F. Angle Jr. of Granite City; and three brothers, Robert, Eddie, Angle and Timothy, Glen Angle, all of Granite City.

He was preceded in death by his mother, Marie Angle, who died April 24, 1994.

Mr. Angle's remains were cremated.

The family will receive friends from noon to 2 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 12, at Funeral Home, 21st Street, and Cleveland Boulevard in Granite City, where a memorial service will be held at 2 p.m. Thursday. Burial of the cremains will be in Sunset Hill Cemetery in Todd Mill, Ill.

Arrangements were handled by Irwin Chapel in Granite City.

William Brannam

William "Windy" Brannam Sr., 85, of Granite City died at 10:45 p.m. Sunday, Jan. 7, 1996, at his residence, 2101 Franklin, following a one-year illness. He was born Sept. 22, 1910, in Granite City, where he had been a lifelong resident.

He was a custodian with the Granite City School District 9 for 25 years prior to his retirement in 1992, he was charter member of the Bubblemaster S.C.U.B.A. Diving Club in

Collinsville, Ill.

Services were Tuesday at St. Elizabeth's Catholic Church in Granite City with the Rev. Robert DeGrand officiating. Burial was in St. Mary Magdalene Cemetery in Todd Mill, Ill.

Arrangements were handled by Irwin Chapel in Granite City.

Marilyn Brannam

Marilyn Brannam, 82, of Granite City, died at 9:45 a.m. Sunday, Jan. 7, 1996, at St. Elizabeth Hospital in Granite City. She was born Nov. 25, 1913, in Centreville.

Survivors include his parents, Tommy and Anna K. (Anderson) Seib of Collinsville; six brothers and sisters, Jessie, Jeffrey, Joshua, Joel, Katie and Shirley Seib, all of Collinsville; his wife, Shirley Seib, and three sisters, Ellis Heisner, Irene Gill and Louisa Ann Woodside.

Services were Tuesday at St. Elizabeth's Catholic Church in Granite City with the Rev. Robert DeGrand officiating. Burial was in Todd Mill, Ill.

Arrangements were handled by Irwin Chapel in Granite City.

Miss Metro-East to be named

The first Miss Metro-East will be named Jan. 13.

The pageant will take place at 7:30 p.m. in the theater of the Communication's Building Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville.

Seven young women will compete for the title. Five qualified judges will be scoring the young women, who will be judged on stage in talent, swiftness and evening gown competition.

Earlier in the day they will be judged in a 12-minute interview.

This pageant is a

preliminary to the Miss America Pageant and will follow the guidelines of the Miss America Organization.

The seven contestants are:

—Rebecca Yuetton, 23, who

attends Millikin University.

She is the daughter of George and Patricia Yuetton of Effingham.

—Kryssi Harris, 19, an SIUE freshman. She is the daughter of Terry and Mary Harris of Collinsville.

—April Street, 20, the

daughter of Steve and Angie

Street of Collinsville.

—Shelly Trame, 18, the

daughter of Mike and Dolores

Trame of Highland. She is a

student at Edwardsville High School.

—Lynn Reigelman, 19, a

student at Bradley University.

She is the daughter of Glenn

and Debra Reigelman of O'Fallon.

—Elizabeth Harmon, 19, the

daughter of Gerald and Bonnie

Harmon of O'Fallon. She is

attending Western Illinois

University.

—Janet Strater, 22, a

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Memorial Estates in Glen Carbon

Memorials are requested for the Shriner's Hospital for Crippled Children in St. Louis.

Robert Woodside

Robert John Woodside, 75, of Granite City, formerly of Nashville, Tenn., died at 11:30 a.m. Saturday, Jan. 6, 1996, at Barnes Hospital in St. Louis, following a four-month illness. He was born Feb. 24, 1921, in Swanwick, Ill., and had been a resident of Granite City for 38 years.

A cafeteria worker with Granite City Steel for many years, she was a member of the Pontoon Beach, Granite City and Madison community citizen. She was of the Protestant faith.

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A foreman with Illinois Water Company in Granite City for 22 years prior to his retirement in 1984, he was a member of St. Elizabeth's Catholic Church in Granite City and a World War II U.S. Army veteran.

Survivors include his wife, Helen Maraisa (Kellerman) Woodside, whom he married June 5, 1944; one son, Ronald Woodside; one daughter, Sharon Range of Columbia; one brother, Frank Woodside of Granite City; one sister, Catherine Brannam of Godfrey; and three grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Hugh Calvin Woodside and Margaret (Stern) Woodside; two brothers, William and Donald Woodside; and three sisters, Ellis Heisner, Irene Gill and Louisa Ann Woodside.

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Elk dinner set

The Rocky Mountain Elk Foundation Banquet dinner and auction is scheduled for Jan. 20 at the Alton Woods Elk Springs Ranch Club. All proceeds will benefit wildlife and their habitat.

Contact Joe Wisnasky at 659-3119.

Building project gets endorsement

SPRINGFIELD — Building projects at SIUE and Lewis and Clark Community College have been endorsed by state Board of Higher Education staff, but they are low priority.

The board's staff recommended \$4.1 million for replacement of the central cooling system at Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville, but ranked it only 22nd statewide behind more than \$19 million in other projects.

The staff endorsed about \$1.5 million for planning and design of Phase 2 of the allied health, science and mathematics building at Southern Illinois University at Carbondale.

The government and lawmakers are to follow the priority set by the Board of Higher Education for capital projects and sometimes divert from it.

SIUE wants to replace chiller equipment that is more than 20 years old, and services 10 buildings, but the university's highest priority is still the proposed engineering school building, spokesman Sam Smith said.

That \$21 million project was included in Gov. Jim Edgar's budget plan for 1996-97. Some lawmakers refused to vote for a higher state bond authorization to fund the capital projects, so they have remained off the list.

Board of Higher Education spokeswoman Debra Smilley said, "We assume funding for (the SIUE engineering school) and the others in the governor's budget list will eventually go forward," so we did not include them in the list for the next fiscal year (starting July 1).

LC President Dale Chapman was still hopeful Wednesday that design funds for the second phase of the new science building would be approved this year, despite the relatively low priority.

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through a legion of love affairs, most of which end in heartbreak

This women's film — it's a virtual ode to estrogen — drives home a time-honored truism in the sisterhood: Men come and go but female friends are forever.

Actor Forest Whitaker ("The Crying Game") directs the movie, and Tom McMillen's best-selling novel and he paints the sexes in stark terms: Men, by and large, are rats and scoundrels and women are their long-suffering superiors.

Whitaker keeps the story briskly paced and it flutters lightly along, even when he's getting caught at terribly bittersweet moments.

But for all this deft surface sentiment, there's something hollow at the core. Perhaps that's the price of trying to piece together the crowded lives of the film's four heroines; we are so busy tarrying in the twists and turns of their hearts that little is allowed to happen with the flesh and blood.

Still, there's lots to love here — a clear-eyed celebration of strength and feminine solidarity, along with a gutsy declaration of sexual independence.

But, just like the plight of the women on screen, you'll ache for more.

The film opens on New Year's Eve as Savannah Jackson (Whitney Houston) pulls into Phoenix, looking for a good man and success as a television producer — and it's hard to say in what order.

She's down there by her best friend, Bernadine Harris (Angela Bassett), who is facing her own upheaval. Bernadine's husband rudely decides to leave her that night for his white blonde.

Then there's Robin Stokes (Leah Remond), a girl on the prowl, who is so determined to find a man that she'll take the sex even if there is no chance for romance.

She's so starved for a decent relationship that she can't see the man she's with is a drug dealer. "Maybe I might be a good influence on him," she says hopefully and of course, naively.

Finally, there's the determined Bernadine (Angela Bassett), a bubbly, giggling gem who almost steals the film. She's a mother who is trying to raise a teen-age son, Tarik (Donald Adeosun Faison), while tending to her hair salon.

She may be overweight but she's still brimming with sexiness and she's a picture of innate sweetness and vulnerability, making her irresistible.

The fourosome become involved with a seemingly endless string of louts: married men who cheat, single men who cheat, criminals who cheat and steal and office cads who publicly humiliate.

Only two men seem to have any scruples and coincidentally both are men whose wives are dead or dying: Marvin (Gregory Hines), Gloria's next-door neighbor who's a widower, and James (Wesley Snipes in an uncredited role), a mysterious stranger who's been seen with Bernadine.

The relationships are almost uniformly unsatisfying and it's no wonder the women seem to prefer each other's company. They are unremittently selfish and immature. Why are there no good men for these women? It is suggested that that many black men are dead or white women or behind bars, but no serious explanation is offered.

This only further emphasizes the movie's glossy superficiality. In the end, "Waiting to Exhale" does an awfully good job at introducing us to some really fascinating characters — women you'd probably want to sit down with and share an intimate conversation about the nature of life and love. That just makes it all the more frustrating because what we get instead is more in the realm of idle cocktail chatter.

Produced by Deborah Schindler and Ezra Swerdler, the screenplay was written by McMillen and Ronald Bass and released by Twentieth Century Fox.

The movie is rated R.

— Associated Press

Not all were great movies

Many Disney films became classics

By Kevin Carberry
Staff writer

It is common knowledge that the names of the Seven Dwarfs are Sleepy, Sneezy, Happy, Grumpy, Bashful, Dopey and Doc, and the reason that most people can name them as opposed to who is on the Supreme Court is that Walt Disney made an outstanding movie about them and Snow White.

Not all Disney pictures turn out to be great films, but a large number of them have become classics.

As a kid growing up in the

late '60s and early '70s, I started going to movies at a time when Disney films were the most popular in the world. At that time, the studio had put out top-of-the-line movies like "Fantasia" and "Old Yeller," but the ones that I remember best are the ones that I saw as a kid. I still remember the first time I saw "The Little Mermaid" and "Aladdin" and "The Lion King." They are movies for kids, but they are so well done that adults can also enjoy them.

For this week's trivia, you need to recall the names of Walt Disney's film studio.

1. What is the name of the wood carver in "Pinocchio" who makes Pinocchio?

2. Which is the only dwarf with a mustache? Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs?

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5. Actors Jerry Orbach, David Ogden Siers and

Angela Lansbury all do voices for supporting characters in which Disney animated feature?

6. The character in which classic Disney film?

7. Who does the voice of Scuttle the seagull in "The Little Mermaid"?

8. The song "Chim-Chim-Cheree" comes from which Disney picture?

9. Who plays the title character in "The World's Greatest Athlete"?

10. In "Gus," what position in football does Gus the mule play?

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Art Voellinger

Local grads find niche with NU

Call them footnotes if you wish, but there are a few items that I failed to note in 1995 that are important, among them Northwestern University drew much attention this collegiate football season, but this corner had interest in the Wildcat long before the suburban high school achieved a Big Ten Conference title and Rose Bowl appearance.

Among the Southwestern Illinois graduates (and I'm bound to forget some) to attend Northwestern were Rick Wagner and Bob McKelvey from Belleville, Tomasz, Tomaszewski and Frank Beaudreux from Althoff, Billy Greenwald from Highland, Larry Curry from Granite City and Brian Chamberlain from O'Fallon.

While Wagner was renowned as a lefthanded pitcher on the amateur and men's levels prior to having his option changed to Northwestern in the mid-1950s when shoulder woes ended what could have been a pro career, the others found their niche at Northwestern.

Maul played linebacker in the 1970s and Beaudreux was an outstanding defensive tackle in the '90s, while Curry also played on the defensive line and Greenwald saw special teams action. Chamberlain currently is in his second year of Northwestern basketball, but the most successful statistically was McKelvey. Another former Maroon, Bill Ihde, also graduated and achieved more academically.

A quarterback at BTHS in 1954-55, Inlandfield played collegiately at Illinois West, where he had success at Northwestern, where he was a financial adviser to the athletic department prior to his current position as an assistant to the athletic director.

McKelvey, a leader of a 10-0 Maroons football team in 1963, played three seasons at Northwestern and as a fullback in the Wissahickon in 1965 and '66 with 578 and 459 yards respectively and in scoring with 48 points in '66.

Although Northwestern had a losing record in the 1960s-70s, during the junior and senior seasons, Bob concluded his collegiate career in memorable fashion in a 35-7 victory over Illinois.

OFFTIME: Often, I try to make note of persons who died that in some way touched the sports scene. I was remiss in '95 by not mentioning Isidore "Izzy" Schmidt, a coach, player, Jim Mutsch and Henry "Babe" Rodriguez of Belleville and Danny Menendez of Wisconsin Dells, formerly of East St. Louis.

Mr. Schmidt died at age 82 on Aug. 9. The father of Belleville West basketball coach Billy Schmidt and former Althoff assistant Tommy Schmidt, Izzy was the

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(Staff photo by JOHN FRESE)

Unbeaten Warriors tune up for tough Geneseo tourney

By Rob Raphael
Staff writer

Well, it didn't turn out to be a quadangular meet over the weekend, but the Warriors still got a good test as they defeated Quincy and Chatham Saturday at Chatham.

Granite City (15-0) defeated Chatham 45-9 and took care of Quincy by a 46-12 score.

The Warriors will have a quick tune-up — at Wood River on Thursday — before they travel to the only biggest tournament of the year: Geneseo.

But getting back to Saturday's action for a minute, the Warriors, appearing in the Geneseo dominated, turned close meets into routs. Granite City and Chatham were tied at 6 for four matches into their meet, but the Warriors picked it up a notch and won eight of the last nine.

The tide wasn't turned as dramatically in the Quincy meet, as 10 of 13 Warriors picked up wins, up and down the lineup.

Warrior coach Mike Ganahl said last week that he figured the meet to be a real test. "I'm sure they'll be ready for us, and it

should be a good test, especially Chatham. They're always a good club."

But the Warriors were ready as well. Adame Dunnivant and John Kelly opened with wins, but Bobby Chaulsett and Myke Glover were upset.

Still, Kevin Feigenbutz turned the tide with a technical fall win at 130 pounds over Jake Wilkinson. Jonas Janek scored a solid decision, and David Stephenson also gained a technical fall over John Burg.

Jeff Estrada (145) won a major decision, before Jason Wilson was upset at 152 pounds. But still leading 23-9, the Warriors put the final touches on a 35-12 decision by John Venne (160) and pins by Ike Newman (171) and Jon Scott (189). Chris Janek won by forfeit at 275.

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Warriors dominate SWC rival Lancers

By Rob Raphael
Staff writer

There are many goals the Warriors will hope to accomplish this season on the wrestling mat, and one of them appears to be to reward after Granite City's 45-15 win over Belleville East last Friday.

There are many quality teams in the Southwestern Conference, but East St. Louis clearly is the only stumbling block between the Warriors and the conference title.

More goals remain, including this weekend's trip to Geneseo, but the Warriors are clear that they are the Lancer challenge.

"In the backs of our minds, we all know we're not at the caliber of Granite City, but we decided we'd come out and give it our best shot," said

East coach Norm Dahn. "Any time two conference teams are together, there's going to be a little more intensity, and they're going to come after each other just a little bit more." Granite City coach Mike Ganahl said.

The Lancers tried to strike the Warriors where they are the most susceptible: in the lower weight classes.

But the Lancers are fired up when he pinned Adame Dunnivant in 53 seconds in the 103-pound match. But John Kelly defeated Nic Schubert 7-1 at 112, and Bobby Chaulsett pinned Rob Naylor (119) at the 3:55 mark.

Still, when Charles Stacey got by Myke Glover 12-3 at 125 pounds, the Lancers led the Warriors 9-9.

But the Warriors reeled off

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Granite City's John Kelly (right) battles Mount Zion's Shane Mitchell.

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HOCKEY

Warriors bounce back from first loss of season.

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Four corners works for Collins, Trojans

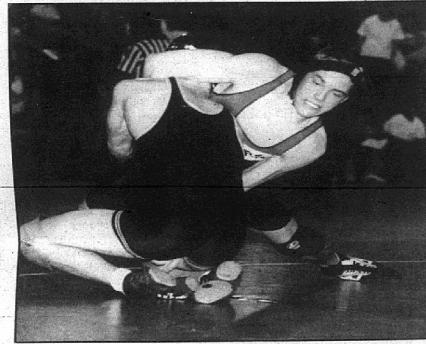
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Staff writer

the rebound. Madison coach Al Collins called for the four corners.

They moved the ball well enough to keep it away from the Devil defenders, and when Venice committed one foul, the Trojans were nowhere near the bonus situation. There was nothing the Devils could do.

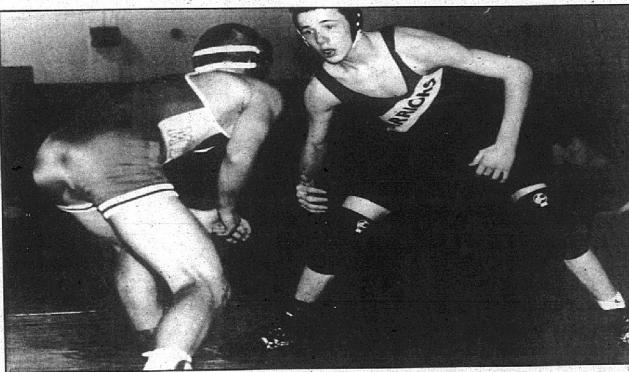
"You can't tell the kids not to foul too much, but in the second half we actually didn't foul enough," said Venice coach Clinton Harris. "It got down to the last two minutes and we had too many fouls to give. I couldn't see trying to use up four or five fouls in the last minute. By the time we'd have done that, the game would have been over."

"I was a little surprised they didn't come after us a little more," said Collins. "You never know, you can reach in to commit a foul and end up getting (See TROJANS, Page 2B)



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Granite City's Jonas Janek (right) wrestles Jim Crutchfield of Francis Howell North.



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SPORTS

Hockey Warriors improve to 13-1By Rob Raphael
Staff writer

Well, it didn't take very long for the hockey Warriors to get back on track.

After dropping their first game of the year, 4-1 to Whitfield Dec. 29, the Warriors got back to work. The result was an 11-3 shellacking of Ft. Zumwalt South last Friday—a Mid-States Club Hockey Association game at the Webster Ice Rink.

The Warriors used a five-goal second period to put the clamps on Ft. Zumwalt, and refused to let up by netting four more in the third period.

Granite City (13-1-0) was bolstered by the return of Matt Guffey, who scored a hat trick, but six different Warriors lit the lamp on this night.

Chris Phelps also tallied three goals for his first hat trick of the season, and Bryan Loftus added a pair of goals. Chris Angle, Aaron Reeves and Kevin Nenninger also added goals.

"We got back on track, and that was good to see," said Warrior coach Dave Yurkov.

“We needed to get back to working hard and playing as a team, and we did that.”

Nenninger got the festivities rolling when he scored at the 10:11 mark of the first period, assisted by Angle and Brian Johnson.

Phelps scored his first of the night just 23 seconds later, on a goal from Nenninger and Guffey.

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Reeves then found his man over an minute later with David Miskelley and Guffey picking up the assists.

Loftus then scored his first of the night at the 4:02 mark, from Matt Burns and McQueen.

As they did earlier in the season, the Warriors found the killer touch and kept at Zumwalt. Phelps added his second of the night at the 5:01 mark, with Pritchard and Nenninger assisting, and Loftus scored again with 1:58 left in the middle period from Bobby Harris and Angle.

The Warriors got help up

and down the lineup, and their swing players added a total of five points on the night.

“We played much better. It was a total team effort,” Yurkov said.

Phelps capped off his three-goal performance with an unassisted goal at the 4:59 mark of the third period, then Guffey took over.

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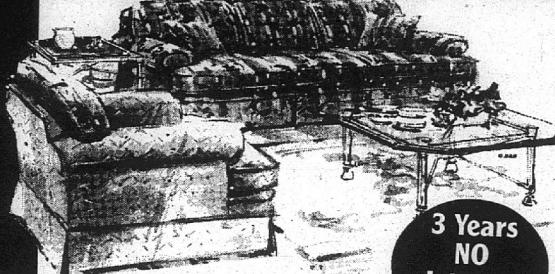
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•Tourney

(Continued from Page 1B) seconds, and Jonas Janek picked up a major decision when he dispatched of Devin McDonald 14-3.

Thompson was outpointed by Quincy's Jake Wear at 140 pounds, but Estrada reversed the momentum and pinned out Mark Hickey 13-2. Wilson got by Dale Hanson 3-2, but Newman was pinned by Jeff Jansen at 160.

Venner came back and stuck Chris Gallaway in 53 seconds and Scott pinned Jason Orebbaug in just 51 seconds. Chris Janek finished the rout with a major decision (15-4) over Tom Mowen in the heavy-

weight class.

And now, back to Genesee. The last, the Warriors led the pre-tournament going into the last round before losing to Chicago Mt. Carmel. Of course, the Warriors never got the chance to redeem themselves last night.

Despite the GC Holiday Tournament, which featured an excellent field of teams, the Genesee Tournament represents the first real challenge for Granite City.

Mt. Carmel will be there, ready to dethrone the Warriors from their perch as the No. 1 team in Illinois.

•Lancers

(Continued from Page 1B) four consecutive wins, beginning with Kevin Feigenbutz's 1:47 win by fall over Clay Bertelsen.

Jonas Janek followed that up by shutting out Ben Rosciglione 8-0 for a major decision, and David Thompson (140) earned a pin Jason Martin 14-4 for another major.

Jeff Estrada took care of Andrew Ness with a technical-fall win (16-0) at 145 pounds.

The last, Fernando Gómez is considered a 160-pounder, dropped down to 162 pounds and defeated Jason Wilson by the same 16-0 score.

After narrowly getting by the Warriors, John Jansen got into the final of the GC Holiday tourney, the word has it that Fernandes thinks he can win a state title at 152, but not necessarily at 160. Bookers, however, wonder how Fernandes could possibly drop down that far.

So, without a Venne/Fernandes rematch, Ike Newman

filled in at 160 pounds and defeated Daris Simmons 14-5. Venne then moved up to 171 and had a surprisingly easy time with 17-3 for still another major decision.

Joe Scott returned to the Warrior lineup with a bang by recovering from a 2-0 deficit to lead 6-0. He then pinned Jeremy Anthony at 3:31 mark.

Wrestling far above his normal weight class, Gómez will prove to be the stronger wrestler, outdueling Anthony while the two were on the mat.

To finish out the meet for the Warriors, Janek disposed of Jeremy Hauer at just 17 seconds. Janek now has four pins on the season in less than 20 seconds.

"They're strong, very strong, and a handful of the Warriors. But I'm not sure if they're as deep as they were last year. Still, they've got a great squad, and I wish them luck the rest of the year."

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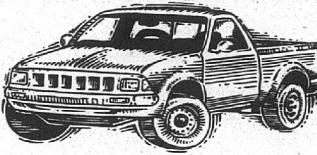
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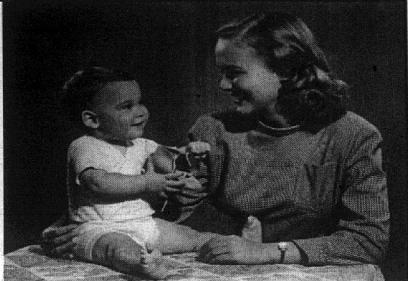
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Military news

Charles Chambers
Navy Petty Officer Second
Class Charles D. Chambers,
son of Thurston and Gloria
Chambers of Venice, is cur-
rently serving in the Adriatic

Sea, near Bosnia, aboard the
guided missile cruiser USS
Normandy. One of 380 sail-
ors aboard the ship supporting
the peace implementation
operations in the former Yugo-

slavia. Chambers departed
Norfolk, Va., in August as part
of the USS America Battle
Group. The group is armed
with more than 90 aircraft and
ships and submarines armed
with Tomahawk cruise mis-

siles.

In early September, Cham-
bers and fellow crew members
aboard USS Normandy fired 13
Tomahawk Missiles at Bosnian
Serb military targets in Bosnian
operations of NATO and U.N.
operations. Chambers' ship
had just arrived in the Adriatic
after traveling 3,000 miles
across the Atlantic Ocean.

While spending most of the

deployment at sea, Chambers
and fellow sailors also have
visited Genoa, Italy, where
they had an opportunity to vis-
it local sites, including the

Leaning Tower of Pisa.
Chambers' involvement in
the deployment is an example
of how U.S. men and women
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Today's Food

Wednesday, January 10, 1996

Food & Nutrition

Wise Ways

Fried chicken is a staple in the South, as well as in other parts of the U.S., particularly from fast food restaurants like updated KFC.

INSIDE

Heart-y Bites

Chowder is a way to win seafood-lovers' hearts.

INSIDE

Blue Ribbon Cook

Pasta salad is a hearty year-round pleaser.

INSIDE

Hometown Test Run

Real men and women in St. Louis have eaten Quelle Quiche since 1970. Tasters try new microwave-quick varieties.

INSIDE

Micro Raves

Frozen meal kits can be a big part of dinner.

INSIDE

Lively Taste

Serve a fiesta tonight. Spread 1/4 cup (of a 16-ounce jar) salsa in a greased, shallow 1-1/2-quart baking dish. Rinse 1 can (16 ounces) light red kidney beans, dry on paper towels and spoon over salsa. Sprinkle 4 chicken breast halves with 2 teaspoons chili powder and lay them on top. Pour remaining salsa over chicken. Bake in preheated 325° oven about 1 hour until chicken is done. If desired, about 5 minutes before done, sprinkle with 2 tablespoons chopped black olives, 1/2 cup crushed tortilla chips and 1/2 cup grated Monterey Jack cheese. Return to oven until cheese is melted. Serve beans and sauce over chicken. Makes 4 servings.

Health & Fitness

Medicine Chest

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Fresh Picks

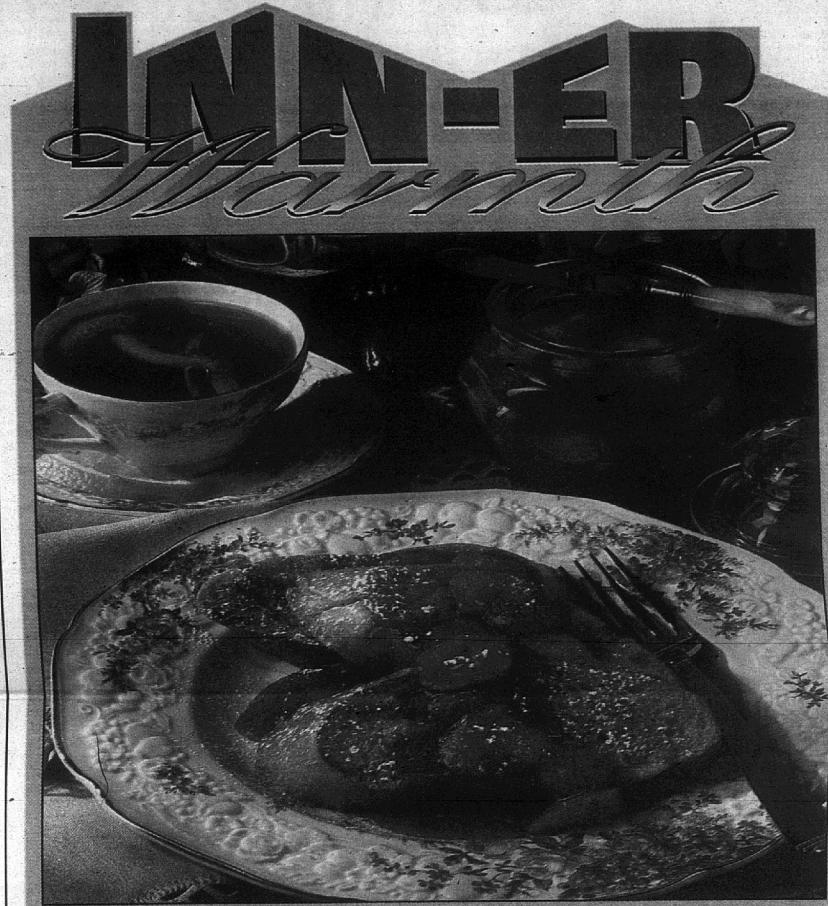
The 45-second fruit salad: Empty a can of mandarin oranges into a bowl. Add 1 banana and 1 apple, each sliced, and a few frozen blueberries or sliced strawberries. By the time it is served, the frozen fruit will have thawed.

Big Fat Tip

When the urge to indulge in a creamy soup hits home, skip the cream or half-and-half for creaminess. Instead, use mashed potato flakes, pureed beans, potatoes or rice, or dissolve 1 teaspoon cornstarch in 1 cup evaporated skim milk.

Future Shop

New look for potato chips: dirty. When natural juices are not washed away from potatoes after they are cut, the end product turns darker — as well as crispier and more flavorful.



Served in a farmhouse, ski lodge or your own kitchen, breakfast can be reviving. Wrap up the warmth of Orange and Spice French Toast, served at Vermont Marble Inn, Fair Haven, Vt., and top it with Very Berry Breakfast Topping, from Inn at Playa del Rey, Playa del Rey, Calif., while sipping Cinnamon Citrus Cup, a courtesy at the Beaufort Inn in Beaufort, S.C.

By Janice Denham
Staff writer

Warm and inviting, breakfast can make people champions. Formed by cereal flakes or sandwiched in a desire to share an early-day experience with friends or family, it is the simple means to becoming an event that fills a few minutes or several hours.

Think of a wintry day in a country lodge with the fresh warmth of hot tea or coffee. The

aroma of muffins or French toast comes from the kitchen. It is an easy way to be pampered at home, too, to satisfy the interior self that needs a little time off.

These recipes use tea flavors for drinking and in breakfast foods. Tea can be served in a dainty cup or substantial mug. To brew herbal or flavored tea, add boiling water to 1 tea bag in a cup. Steep about 3 minutes; then remove bag. If desired, add a touch of honey or sugar or twist

of lemon or lime to taste.

Here are bonus ideas:

Cinnamon Citrus Cup: In medium saucepan, bring 3 cups water to boil over high heat. Remove from heat. Add 6 cinnamon-apple herbal tea bags. Cover. Steep 5 minutes. Remove tea bags. Stir in 3 oranges slices, quartered, 1/4 cup raisins and 2 tablespoons honey. Simmer

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CEREAL SURPLUS

When a package of cereal with bran or whole wheat lingers past its welcome, give it a new identity. Add it to fruity-yogurt or combine it with pudding and sliced banana. This salvages a flaky cereal that normally does not stay crunchy in milk. It also adds fiber to nutritious foods that do not have it. Cereal with dried fruit in it works deliciously here, too.

Cereal can be soaked in a little milk or tomato sauce and added to ground beef or turkey for patties. Uneaten cereals also can be rolled in lightly-crushed cereal for a crunchy coating when baked or pan-fried.

Kid's Cuisine

Rick Tucker Graphic

Today's Food

Hometown Test Run

Individual quiches can be microwaved

Back when there was a debate over whether real men eat quiche, Quelle Quiche! started offering its rich, handmade product to the St. Louis area. Still a family-owned business, its national distribution has put loubsters aside.

It has added a new attribute for its 6-ounce quiche: the ability to be microwaved, as well as baked conventionally.

Journal tasters sampled the Lorraine variety, which is flavored with real bacon. Other flavors in the size are spinach and broccoli.

An upscale product at \$2.69, single-serving Quelle Quiche — it means "What a pie!" in French — is the only one in the line that can be warmed entirely in a microwave oven.

"The flavor and texture are great for a microwave product. The crust was flaky and the quiche was firm. The flavor was satisfying," a taster said.

Another was surprised that quiche could look and taste like quiche after microwaving.

"The crust is just a bit thick, but it comes out with a nice texture and flavor. The top of the quiche and even the sides of the crust have an attractive browned look that doesn't turn into a 'skin,'" she said.

Microwave options available at the testings were a new one with high wattage and an office type with low wattage, so the quiche was

warmed 3 minutes in the high one and an extra minute over the 3½-minute recommendation in the low one — with excellent results both times.

It comes with a plastic dish and instructions call for a paper towel to be added to help absorb grease and keep the crust crisp.

"It definitely does not have the fake or frozen egg taste," a taster said. "I am a little concerned about the 30 grams of fat and 520 milligrams of sodium, but the part particularly the sodium is true of most frozen food. I guess it's that cream and milk that make it taste so good."

Another tester noted the product held together without separating as it cooled. The bacon was also more evident at that time.

One would bypass the convenience of microwave cooking and go back to baking the larger quiche in her home oven.

"It is a bit pricey. For home, I'd opt for the office variety for \$2.69," she said.

Another thought a working dinner at the office might be a good place for using the microwavable quiche, where it could be matched with one or more salads and soups.

Quelle Quiche! also makes 12 hours d'oeuvre quiches in a package for about \$3.99, which require a conventional oven.

Wise Ways

By CAROL SCHLITT

Fried chicken remains popular menu attraction

When Americans think of fast food, chicken, KFC undoubtedly comes to mind. One of the original fast food enterprises began over 40 years ago by debonair, white-suited Harland Sanders, KFC is known throughout the world.

Originally known as Kentucky Fried Chicken, the company responded over the years to popular concern about fat and fried foods by using the acronym for less emphasis on the "fried" portion.

However, its menu continues to revolve around pressure-fried chicken. Two varieties are available: either Colonel Sanders' Original Recipe or the Extra Tasty Crispy chicken.

Calories in a piece of Original Recipe chicken vary from 152 for a drumstick to 260 for a center

breast. The Extra Tasty Crispy adds an average of 68 calories per piece, with most of the extra calories from fat.

One of the newest additions to the KFC menu is a chunky chicken pot pie.

Chris Fowler of the public affairs department at KFC corporate headquarters in Louisville, Ky., says nutritional information is not available yet for this product, which is still considered in test market. However, its popularity looks like it will put it on the regular menu, so nutrition information should be available in the next few months.

The chicken pot pie has a lot of crust and chunks of white meat chicken. Comparing it with chicken pot pies available in a supermarket's freezer section,

Micro Raves

By SANDRA HOUNSOM

Replace 'diet' resolution with healthy revolution

If last week's new year resolution of going on a diet is ripe for breaking, be my guest. Current nutrition experts say a diet plan may be more successful with a positive goal, eating more healthy meals, as opposed to the negative of "dieting."

One way to improve eating habits is to improve methods of cooking. Using a microwave oven can provide healthy food without added fat.

Quick and healthy meals, much in demand by today's busy families, can be done in the microwave. One-pot meals, such as a hearty soup or stew, once constituted a quick meal. Today's supermarket has this concept under a new name — complete meal kits — that attempt to match the way Americans eat today.

This main course just needs accompaniments. Several brands and flavors are available. Beef or chicken fajitas have soft tortillas with meat and vegetables, while stir-fry comes in several varieties.

Packages are printed with conventional or microwave directions designed for microwaves of 600 to 700 watts. Ovens with higher wattage should use the minimum time given on the

package. Shrimp, for instance, can be overcooked easily and become tough and chewy.

Some varieties indicate six servings per package. For big eaters or families with ravenous teenagers, one kit may not be enough. I found the fajita fillings scanty for six servings.

It can be nutritionally to extend a Mexican filling with a can of beans, or stir-fry with extra vegetables both ways of emphasizing healthful ingredients with little extra time needed for cooking in a microwave. If the six servings of tortillas do not come out even for those eating extra, freeze extra tortillas for future use.

By using a microwave oven, extra pans are needed for cooking, as the various components of the kit cook right in their respective packages.

It is best not to leave the tortillas in the plastic sleeves too long, or they become soggy, while remaining partially defrosted in the sleeves in the package, using half the recommended time, removing the shells to paper towels and finishing the defrosting in a microwave.

The outside package says "complete" meal kit, but other side dishes should be

added to complete the meal. Keeping them high in carbohydrates and low in fat should be the goal. A microwave oven can cook a sweet, yet light dessert, while everyone enjoys their quick, complete meal.

Home economist Sandy Hounsom specializes in microwave cooking.

MICROWAVE BAKED APPLES

1 to 4 baking apples, such as Jonathan

1 can (12 oz.) regular or diet black cherry soda

Margarine, if desired

Chopped pecans, if desired

Cinnamon, if desired

Use 1 apple per person.

Wash and core apples.

Bake whole or sliced, with or without skin.

Place cored apples in a 3-quart microwave-safe casserole. Pour soda over apples.

If desired, in center of each apple, add ½ teaspoon margarine, a few chopped pecans and sprinkle of cinnamon.

Microwave on high power 8 minutes.

Heart-y Bites

By CINDY BERNER

Catch unlimited flavor with seafood chowder

My dad's fishing trip to Canada last summer was a big success. He came home with a beautiful whitefish and Northern pike, cleaned, filleted and ready for the freezer. I was delighted to receive some of his catch.

Unfortunately, I accidentally left my fish packet on the floorboard of my car overnight. The smell the next day in the car cannot be described. After my treasured gift was thrown away and a confession was made, my father graciously gave me another package. I promptly put it in the freezer, so this end of the fish story has a happier ending: a hearty fish chowder.

Fish does not always pop up on my menu planning list, but we all know about how healthy it is for my family. Unlike the fat in red meat and poultry, the fat in fish is largely unsaturated and, therefore, a good protein choice.

Because the problem may be in my preparation, I knew Dad's fish deserved better. I simply broiled the first two fillets with lemon wedges, olive oil and sesame seeds. There was no fish flavor and the meat was tender and flaky.

The remaining two fillets

went into a quick-to-make chowder. Everyone loved the flavor the day it was made.

Registered dietitian Cindy Berner is a member of the nutrition committee of the American Heart Association, St. Louis Chapter.

FISH CHOWDER

1 lb. firm white fish, cut

in chunks

2 cloves garlic, minced

1 large onion, diced

2 tbsp. flour

4 cups chicken broth

3 cups cooked or canned

tomatoes, drained, chopped if necessary

1 cup diced green bell pepper

1 bay leaf

½ tsp. thyme

Pepper to taste

In large stock pot, sauté onion and garlic in olive oil about 5 minutes. Add flour, stirring into vegetables until well blended.

Heat chicken stock. Slowly add to vegetables.

Add potato, tomatoes, green pepper, bay leaf and thyme. Simmer until potatoes are done but still firm.

Add fish. Gently simmer 20 minutes. Add pepper.

Lasagna turns salad into Italian winner

Linda Collins, South St. Louis, is the winner of this week's recipe contest for Lasagna Salad Supreme. She wins a prize of dinner certificates at the Pasta House Co.

This hearty salad boasts easy-to-keep ingredients like lasagna noodles, Italian salad dressing, canned artichoke hearts, crutons and sliced green olives. She recommends tearing the greens by hand for less bruising and longer-lasting freshness. It should be mixed just before serving.

Recipes in the Chicken Breast Recipe Contest will be accepted through Jan. 31 for consideration as winner each week for the four Wednesdays in February. Any type of preparation or combination that keeps the chicken flavorful and moist will be considered.

Send one recipe per household to: Chicken Breast Recipe Contest, Suburban Journals, 1714 Deer Tracks Trail, St. Louis, Mo. 63131.

Type or print the recipe legibly on one side of the paper. Include name, address and telephone number on the entry. Name the Journal you receive. Be sure to double-check the recipe as it is written for both amounts and directions, including any variations that make this dish special.

If there is a history to the recipe, it will be considered part of the entry. Along with taste and eye appeal, it will be among criteria used for selecting winners. Originality will be considered, although the recipe need not be original. If possible, name the recipe's source.

LASAGNA SALAD SUPREME

2 qt. water
1 tsp. salt
2 tsp. oil
4 uncooked lasagna noodles
½ Italian salad dressing
6 cups torn, assorted salad greens
2 green onions, sliced
6 slices salami, cut in strips
6 oz. brick cheese, cut in strips
1 can (14 oz.) artichoke hearts, drained, quartered
1 cup garlic-flavored croutons
½ cup grated parmesan cheese

Bring water to rapid boil in heavy 4-quart saucepan. Add salt and oil. Add noodles, stirring until well blended. Cook, uncovered and stirring often, until noodles are tender but firm. Drain. Rinse with cold water. Drain again. Cut in 2-by-½-inch strips.

In large salad bowl, toss noodles and salad dressing together well.

In teapot, pour water over tea bags. Steep, covered, 5 minutes. Remove tea bags. Cool.

In large bowl, combine flour, sugar, baking powder, nutmeg, if desired, and ginger, if desired. Blend in butter until mixture is crumbly to size of small peas. Make well in center of mixture.

Beat eggs with cool tea and vanilla. Pour into flour well. Stir with fork or spoon until flour is just moistened. Fold in walnuts.

Turn batter into prepared muffin tins. Bake in preheated oven 18 minutes or until toothpick inserted in center comes out clean.

Cool on wire rack 10 minutes. Remove from pan. Cool completely.

CINNAMON-APPLE WALNUT MUFFINS

1 cup boiling water

1 cinnamon-apple herbal tea bags

2 cups flour

1 cup sugar

½ tsp. baking powder

1 tsp. nutmeg, if desired

½ tsp. ginger, if desired

½ cup (1 stick) butter or margarine, softened

2 eggs, beaten

1 tsp. vanilla

1 cup chopped walnuts, toasted

Preheat oven to 375°

Cook muffin pan with non-stick cooking spray or line with paper liners.

In 12-inch skillet or gridle over medium heat, melt margarine. Cook several slices of bread, turning once, until golden brown. Brown remaining bread, using more margarine as needed.

Serve, if desired, sprinkled with confectioner's sugar.

Makes about 3 cups.

ORANGE AND SPICE FRENCH TOAST

1½ cups milk
6 orange and spice-flavored tea bags
3 tbsp. sugar
2 eggs

In large measuring cup, pour boiling water over tea bags. Cover. Steep 5 minutes. Remove tea bags.

Firmly packed brown sugar and orange juice. Heat through. Garnish, if desired, with orange slices.

For information about bed and breakfast inns, write to: American Historic Inns, P.O. Box 669, Dana Point, Calif. 92629. To receive 10 recipe note cards, mail 2 UPC symbols from any Lipton Soothing Moments tea package and \$1.99 (check or money order payable to American Lipton Soothing Moments Tea Note Offer, P.O. Box 1029, Department FF, Grand Rapids, Mich. 49545-1029.

VERY BERRY BREAKFAST TOPPING

1 cup boiling water
4 blackberry-flavored tea bags
2 pt. strawberries, sliced (about 4 cups)
6 tbsp. sugar
½ tsp. vanilla

In large measuring cup, pour boiling water over tea bags. Cover. Steep 5 minutes. Remove tea bags.

Firmly packed brown sugar and orange juice. Heat through. Garnish, if desired, with orange slices.

Meatless dishes stack up protein with cheese

The "speed-scratch" strategy of cooking, which uses convenience ingredients along with a little ingenuity to create dishes with homemade flavor and little fuss, is a '90s password to easy cooking.

Items like cheese, frozen and canned foods, pre-cut fresh vegetables and salad greens are a few of the helpful ingredients used to get a leg up on meal preparation.

These speed-scratch recipes are two of TV chef Mr. Food's favorite meatless main dishes. Cheese adds protein and a satisfying depth of flavor and texture to both recipes.

Creamy Blue Cheese Pasta holds elegant, unique taste in 15 minutes. Crumbled blue cheese brings instant flavor to a melange of mushrooms, frozen peas, roasted red peppers and scallions that emphasize color, texture and taste. Toss this with pasta and cooking stress does not exist.

Stacked Cheese Enchilada is even easier. Canned stewed tomatoes and Mexican-style canned corn, spiced with chili powder and cumin, form a filling for layers of corn tortillas and shredded Monterey Jack cheese. Popped into an oven, it is ready as soon

as it is hot and bubbly only 25 minutes later.

CREAMY BLUE CHEESE PASTA

1 lb. uncooked spaghetti
1 can (13 1/2 oz.) chicken broth
1/4 cup (1/2 stick) butter
1/4 cup crumbled blue cheese (about 1 oz.)
8 oz. fresh mushrooms, sliced (about 2 1/2 cups)
2 cups frozen peas
1 jar (7 oz.) roasted red pepper, cut in strips
3/4 cup minced green onion (scallion)
2 tbsp. lemon juice
1/2 tsp. salt
1/4 tsp. pepper
1/4 cup grated parmesan cheese
Monterey Jack cheese

Cook pasta according to package directions. Drain.

Place in large serving bowl. Cover to keep warm. In large skillet over medium heat, combine chicken broth, butter and blue cheese. Cook, stirring frequently, about 5 minutes until mixture thickens slightly and coats back of metal spoon.

Add mushrooms, peas, red peppers, onion, lemon juice, salt and pepper. Cook

about 5 minutes until vegetables are tender.

Pour vegetable mixture over hot spaghetti. Toss with parmesan cheese until coated. Sprinkle with more blue cheese, if desired.

Makes 4 servings.

STACKED CHEESE ENCHILADA

1 can (14 1/2 oz.) stewed tomatoes
1 can (15 oz.) Mexican-style corn
2 tsp. chili powder
1/2 tsp. cumin
1/2 pkg. (6 1/2 oz.) corn tortillas (10)
3 cups (12 oz.) shredded Monterey Jack cheese

Preheat oven to 350°.

In medium bowl, combine stewed tomatoes, corn, chili powder and cumin.

In 13-by-9-inch baking pan, place 2 corn tortillas side by side. Over each tortilla, spoon about 2 tablespoons tomato mixture and about 1/2 cup cheese. Repeat, layering more tortillas ending with cheese. Cover loosely with foil.

Bake in preheated oven 25 to 30 minutes until hot and bubbly.

Cut in wedges to serve.

POLYNESIAN SMOKED PORK CHOPS

5 or 6 smoked rib or loin pork chops
1 green bell pepper, cut in thin strips
1 tbsp. butter or margarine
1 can (11 oz.) mandarin oranges
1 can (8 oz.) pineapple chunks, undrained
1 envelope gravy mix for chicken
1 tbsp. firmly packed brown sugar
1/2 tsp. ginger
Cooked rice

In large skillet over medium-high heat, brown chops with green pepper in butter. Remove meat from skillet, leaving green pepper. Keep warm.

Drain oranges, reserving juice. In same skillet, combine juice, undrained pine-

apple chunks, gravy mix, brown sugar and ginger. Heat, stirring until sauce thickens. Gently stir in oranges.

Pour sauce over chops. Serve with rice. Makes 6 servings.

Microwave directions: In 11-by-7-inch baking dish, arrange pork chops, with meat side to outside. Microwave on high power 6 minutes. Turn chops. Microwave 5 to 7 minutes until done.

Remove chops. Pour off pan juices.

Add butter and bell pepper to pan. Microwave on high 2 minutes.

Add juice from oranges, undrained pineapple, gravy mix, brown sugar and ginger. Microwave 3 to 5 minutes until sauce thickens, stirring once or twice.

Add chops and oranges, spooning sauce over both. Cover loosely. Microwave on high 2 minutes until hot.

FEELING FIT

By Mark Lymboropoulos

Proof that exercise works to strengthen bones: tennis players have weaker bones on their playing arms.

To reduce fat in your diet, treat yourself to sherbet instead of ice cream, a baked potato instead of french fries (with low-fat yogurt instead of sour cream in it).

If you're using hand weights during exercise, be sure to control the weights; don't let the weights pull your arms.

Dried fruit is a good source of fiber and protein. Six dried figs give you 4.8 grams of fiber plus 2.2 mg. of iron. Four dried peaches have less fiber, 2.9 grams, but a whopping 4 mg. of iron.

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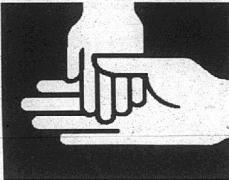
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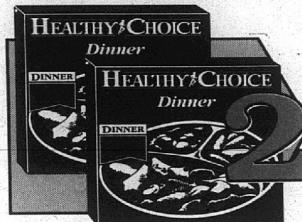
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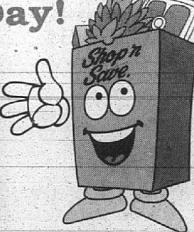


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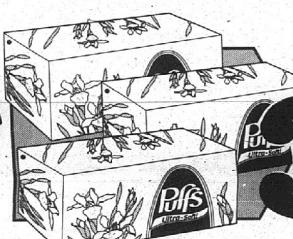


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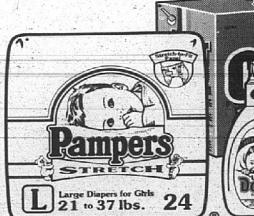
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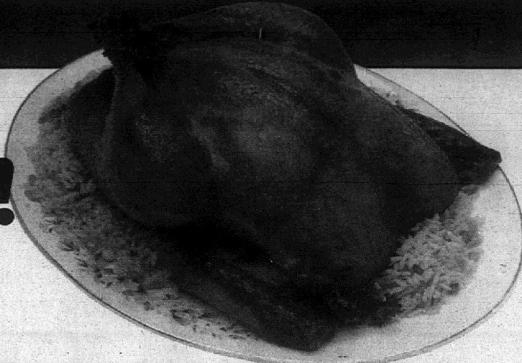
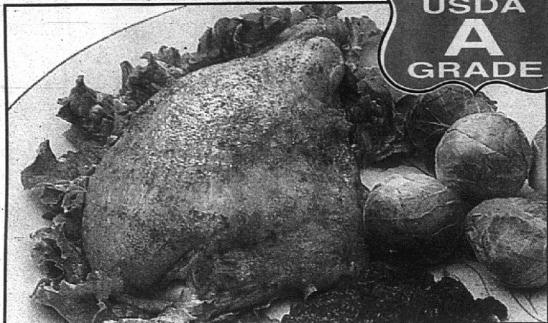
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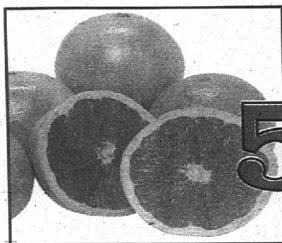
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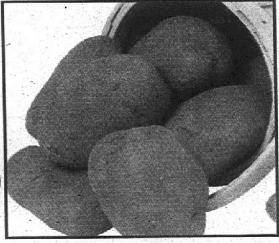
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